

## IN MANY CITIES POSTOFFICES CLOSE SUNDAYS

DENVER, KANSAS CITY, EVANS-  
TON, DETROIT AND LOGANS-  
PORT TRY NEW  
PLAN

## WILL RELEASE CLERKS

This Will Be More Work For The  
Ministerial Association—Pub-  
lic Sentiment Controls

There is a movement in cities all over the nation to close the post-offices on Sunday. Detroit was the first city to inaugurate the new plan. Kansas City and Denver are trying it. In Evanston, Ill., there were only four votes against Sunday closing. Logansport is to have Sunday closing for the first time next Sunday.

The method of procedure is as follows in most cities. The ministerial Association usually starts the ball to rolling by working up public sentiment to the point of not going to get the mail on that day. Often the Ministerial Association will get up a petition to have the office closed. It is purely a matter of public sentiment. The Department at Washington provides that the office be kept open during the business hours of the town. Of course Sunday is not "business hours" and there is nothing compelling our office to keep open, except, perhaps the chance of a reprimand, which, of course, would not be pleasant.

If the Plymouth post-office should be closed, the mails deposited in boxes about town should be gathered up and dispatched as usual. The clerks would distribute the day's mail to the boxes and the front door of the postoffice would be left open so that box-owners could get their mail as they do now, but the three city carriers and the general delivery man at the window would not need to be on duty. As to the rest of the work Price Peterson and Myers could take turns with that and each have a day off at least one in three weeks. There are twenty-eight mail boxes placed about the city, actual records show that not more than a half dozen or these receive on an average of more than a letter apiece on Sunday. These could very well be left until Monday, the word having first been given out that mail would be collected from down town boxes only, on Sunday. The six boxes most used are the one near the Electric Light Plant, near the Marshall Trust & Savings Co., at the Grand Hotel, the Ross House, Southworth's corner, and the Post-office.

## CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING.

Former Residents of Plymouth Hold  
Pleasant Family Gathering  
In Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Taylor, now of Cedar Rapids Iowa, but formerly of Plymouth celebrated their golden wedding anniversary recently. The occasion was made memorable by the assembling of all the children of the family as well as many other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor moved from Indiana about thirty years ago. They have spent all but the last five years of this time on a farm near Cedar Rapids.

Mr. Taylor was born in Virginia in 1856. Mrs. Taylor was born in Indiana. She was Miss Millie Inks, daughter of John Inks, an old resident who formerly lived on a farm six miles north on the Michigan road. They were married in Plymouth 1860. Mr. Taylor left his home and wife when the war broke out and enlisted with Company C, Twentieth Indiana Volunteers. He served during the entire length of the war, his record being one of which both he and his children are proud. "These years spent in the war furnish many pleasant memories as well as many recollections of hardships."

At the close of the war Mr. Taylor returned to their home in Indiana until they decided to try the promises of the country farther west. They have been prosperous as farmers having accumulated plenty to enjoy their declining years in the comforts of a city life.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor present were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor and son James, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Henry, Mrs. Wm. Spice and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Al Sheffield and son Kenneth, all of Cedar Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Taylor and Mrs. J. S. Taylor of Palo.

Other relatives present were: Mrs. E. B. Pratt of Sturgis, S. D., a sister of Mrs. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. John Green, Mr. and Mrs. Mark White, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hammond, Mrs. A. W. Inks and family and Mrs. M. Dice of Cedar Rapids.

The golden anniversary was made memorable to Mr. and Mrs. Taylor in the receipt of many valuable and useful presents, one very appropriate and substantial one being \$50 in gold from the children. The day was one of much happiness to all and was featured by a bountiful three course dinner that contributed to the general enjoyment.

Mrs. Taylor is a sister to Mrs. Washington Tuttle late of this place, also of Mr. John Inks, of North Township, and was widely in this county in an early day.

## WOMEN'S VOTES COUNT

Work Revolution in Seattle for Se-  
cond Time in One  
Month.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 23.—For the second time in a month, the votes of women have worked a revolution in Seattle. In Tuesday's primary election to choose 18 candidates for councilmen to be voted on March 7, the women voters followed up their vote of Feb. 7, which ousted Mayor Hiram C. Gill and his appointive officers, by defeating all but three candidates who were accused of being on intimate terms with the late Gill administration. These three were nominated yesterday by so narrow a margin that it is almost certain they will not be among the nine selected as councilmen in March. Most of the nominees are wealthy men and some have devoted much time to the study of civic government.

The proportion of women voting yesterday, compared with the total registration, was larger than of men.

## ARGOS WOMAN IS BURNED TO DEATH

MRS. POLLY HALL FOUND DEAD  
IN THE YARD THIS AFTER-  
NOON BY FRANK DAILY—SHE  
WAS ALONE AT HOME OF HER  
SON.

Argos, Feb. 27.—Mrs. Polly Hall mother of Jim Hall, was burned to death today shortly after dinner at her home about 4 miles northeast of here. She was alone and was found dead in the yard soon after an o'clock by Frank Daily. Her son was at work in the woods at the back part of the farm at the time of the accident.

A stick of wood was found on the floor partly burned. Evidently Mrs. Hall had been fixing the fire when her clothing caught and she ran out doors.

## EPISCOPAL MEN'S SUPPER

Rev. Father Averill of Ft. Wayne  
Talks of Missionary Movement to  
Company at Plymouth Inn.

Rev. Father Averill of Ft. Wayne was the guest of honor at a supper given by the men of St. Thomas Episcopal church at the Inn Tuesday night. He talked on the great missionary movement of the day going on in all the churches, and made valuable suggestions for St. Thomas church to raise money for this purpose. The Plymouth church will give this year for missionary purposes \$250.

Rev. Father Ivins presided after the supper and in addition to the speech of Father Averill talks were made by Dr. Hitchcock, Wm. Everly, Dr. Aspinall, and C. A. Reeve. An organization will soon be effected by the appointment of a committee to look especially after the missionary collections of the church.

## Senior Class Party.

The Senior Class held one of their regular dances at Hill's Hall last evening. Most of the members of the class were present, and those who are taking dancing lessons, are reported to be doing fine.

## A Dreadful Sight

to H. J. Baranum, of Freeville, N. Y. was the fever sore that had plagued his life for years in spite of many remedies he tried. At last he used Bucklen's Arnica Salve and wrote: "It has entirely healed with scarcely a scar left." Heals Burns, Boils, Eczema, Cuts, Bruises, Swellings, Corns and Piles like magic. Only 25c at Fred Wenzler.

## CITY COUNCIL ADOPTS LIBRARY RESOLUTION

Accepts Carnegie's Donation of \$10,000.00  
and Agrees That City Tax Levy be  
Raised \$1,000 Annually For the  
Same--Other City Matters.

The city council unanimously adopted Monday night the resolution necessary that Plymouth might receive the gift of \$10,000 from Andrew Carnegie for the building of a free public library building. A committee appointed at the last meeting to report on the matter, which was submitted by the Library Board, reported as follows:

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Plymouth, Ind:

We, the undersigned committee to whom was referred the matter of the Andrew Carnegie donation, would respectfully report the following resolution and recommend its adoption by your honorable body.

Joseph Swindel

A. R. Clizbe

Frank Vingilder

## The Resolution

WHEREAS, Andrew Carnegie proposes to donate Ten Thousand Dollars for the erection of a free public library building in the city of Plymouth, on condition that there be raised annually not less than One Thousand Dollars to be used in maintaining a free public library in said city and that a suitable site be procured upon which to erect a free public library building, the plans of which to be subject to the approval of said Carnegie: THEREFORE, Be it Resolved, by the Common Council of the City of Plymouth, Indiana, That said city hereby agrees that, by and through its Public Library Board, an annual tax levy as provided by law, shall be made on all the taxable property assessed for taxation in said city, as shown by the tax duplicate therefor for the year immediately preceding such levy, in order to raise not less than One Thousand Dollars per annum to be used in maintaining a free public library in said city, and that there shall be provided, by and through said Library Board, a suitable site upon which to erect a free library building the plans of which to be submitted and subject to the approval of said Carnegie.

Be it further Resolved, That this resolution be spread on the records of this Council and a copy of the same be furnished to the Secretary of the Public Library Board of said city for the use of said Andrew Carnegie.

Passed and approved this 27 day of February, 1911.

Presented to the Mayor and approved by him this 27th day of February 1911.

Charles S. Cleveland, Mayor.

Attest, Lawrence M. Shakes, City Clerk.

## Snoeberger Bond Filed

C. D. Snoeberger filed his new bond \$5,000 for the year Feb. 16 1911, to Feb. 16, 1912, for the faithful performance of the conditions of his lighting franchise. It was signed by the American Surety Co. of New York City.

Paul Butcher was granted the privilege to move a barn from South street across on Fifth street. Earl Bollman was given the privilege to move a dwelling and barn from the old Bollman residence about two blocks distant over Gibson, Liberty and East LaPorte streets.

The clerk was allowed to make duplicate deeds for Chas. Corbin for his cemetery lots.

Marshall Jacoby reported that he had cleaned Plum street and cleaned the sewer in Johnston.

It was decided to sell the old cala boose for \$10.

The following bills were allowed L. Tanner, supplies .....\$5.70 Chas. Weigle, labor ..... 6.47 Otis Keibert, labor ..... 2.62 J. W. Guyse, labor ..... 7.38 Chas. Linn labor ..... 3.50 Martin Stiger labor ..... 2.27 Chas. Suter, labor ..... 3.50 Total .....\$31.44

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## Advanced T. T. Class.

The Teacher Training students taking the advanced course will meet in conference Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the M. E. Church immediately following the meeting for those wishing to take an elementary course. All interested in the advanced work are invited to be present at this hour. Church History will be the next subject for study. All those who take the Evangelical Standard course do not need more Elementary Standard course. A successful examination on completion of this course entitles the student to the International Advanced Course Certificate in recognition of his attainment to the highest standing required by the International Association.

## Special Session of Council

A special session of the city council was held Tuesday to consider a proposition of the Standard Oil Co., to furnish oil for sprinkling the dirt streets of the city the coming summer.

Mr. W. T. Young was here representing the company's Road Oil Department. The council did not act on the matter, but laid it over for consideration.

## HEAD IS CRUSHED IN PILE OF LOGS

ALBERT RINGLE, EIGHT YEAR  
OLD SON OF J. RINGLE MEETS  
AWFUL ACCIDENT WHILE AT  
PLAY NEAR HIS FATHER.

While playing on a pile of logs in the woods where his father was engaged in cutting logs, Albert, the eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ringle, who resides six miles southwest of this city, was seriously injured Monday afternoon.

The logs were caused to move by the force of Albert jumping upon them and he was thrown to the ground and one of them passed over his body and head, crushing the frontal bone of the skull. Dr. R. C. Stephens was summoned immediately, but he reports the child as being in a dangerous condition.

## NEWSPAPER BRINGS RELIEF

Insane in St. Joseph County Jail  
to be Removed to  
Longcliffe.

As the Longcliffe institution has been overcrowded, St. Joseph county has not been allowed to send any patients for many months and for some time five persons have been quartered in the county jail. The newspaper called attention to the matter recently and asked immediate relief.

It is presumed the newspaper article, moved the asylum authorities to action, at least the necessary. Requisition papers reached the city during the day and the prisoners will be removed to the asylum as soon as they can be prepared for the trip.

—South Bend Tribune.

It is to be hoped that Marshall county will be next in line.

## NORTHERN MICHIGAN WINTER

Will Ormond Gets Interesting Letter  
From His Brother John About  
The "Real Thing."

John J. Ormond writes to his brother W. F. of this city telling the following interesting story of winter at Houghton, Mich.

"It would be a revelation to you to see the snow up there. There is about five feet on the level, and the streets are covered with ice to the depth of two feet. Some of the stores have ice stairs going into them; that is the floor of the store is, below the level of the street or walk. They have to trim the shade trees along the walks to make it possible for the people to pass by."

It snow here every day. Ice jumping and hockey. I saw a hockey game last week, and will see a ski tournament at Ishpeming on Washington's birthday. Some of the professionals jump a distance of 142 feet in their contests."

## WANT TO BE SHOWN

Culver Evangelical Sunday School  
Thinks it is Entitled to the Hon-  
or of First Place.

Culver, Ind., Feb. 26, 1911.

To Whom It May Concern:  
In regard to the report of the County Sunday School convention, please note the following:

The Union Teagarden Sunday school was given the award of merit as having had the best attendance from Oct. 2, 1910, to Feb. 12, 1911, inclusive. The Union Teagarden school reported an enrollment of 150 and an average attendance of 87, which is 58 per cent of attendance.

The Culver Evangelical Sunday school reported an enrollment of 120 and an average attendance of 87 1-3 which is 72.6 per cent of attendance.

Notice sent to superintendents was for the school showing the largest per cent. of attendance, same as programs of county convention. Now we wish to know how this reward was given to the Teagarden Sunday school. We are not claiming the reward, as we do not know the per cent of attendance of other schools, which should have been given, but we do claim a difference of between 58 per cent of 14.6 per cent better than the Teagarden school.

Respectfully,  
W. S. Easterday,  
Supt. Culver Evangelical Sunday School.

Not—Regarding the above, Mrs. Ella Davis, in charge of this department of work, states that the Teagarden school reported to her an enrollment of 30 instead of 150. She has written them about the matter.—Editor.

## Dance at Armory

About twenty couples attended the Washington's Birthday dance given by the militia boys at the Armory Thursday evening. Mrs. Carl Reynolds and Ralph Rinard furnished excellent music.

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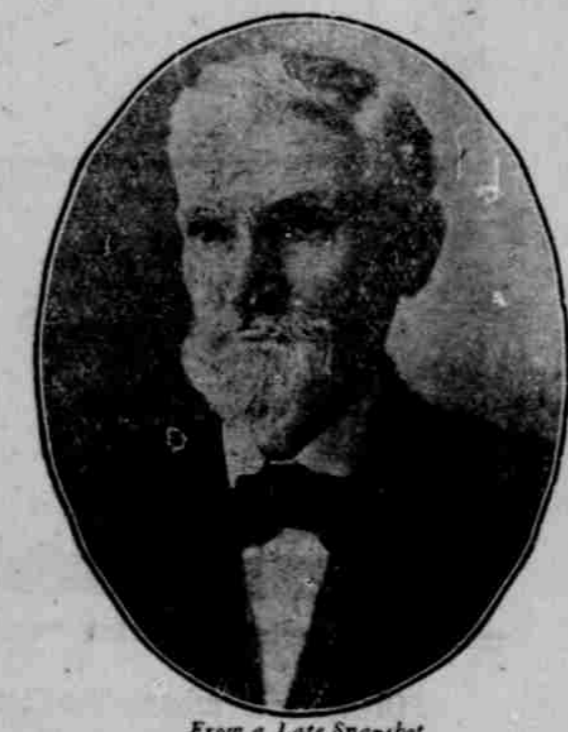
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